

Through baptism we have been made alive in Christ Jesus. Let us speak the words of this new life by praying for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world saying: ***Lord hear our prayer.***

For Todd our bishop, for Robert, Tanya, and Tianna our priests, for Tom and Stephanie our deacons, and for the whole church, that we might be faithful, willing to serve, constant in grace and receptive to newness, let us pray to the Lord. ***Lord hear our prayer.***

For this congregation, that we might be eager to welcome, diligent in prayer, and generous in deed, let us pray to the Lord. ***Lord hear our prayer.***

For our nation, town and neighbourhood, that we might be advocates of the lowly, defenders of liberties, and models of justice, let us pray to the Lord. ***Lord hear our prayer.***

For those who grieve, those in places of care, those in prison, those who are addicted, those who are despondent, and all those in need of our prayers, especially ***Beulah, Rob, Andrea, Heather, Mary Louise, Hadley, Harold, Ebba, Nikki, Marian, Ken, Peter, John, Peter, Paul, Leontine, Cedee-Anne,*** and ***the people of Venezuela*** let us pray to the Lord. ***Lord hear our prayer.***

For those in dangerous occupations, those who care for the sick, those who work the land, those who engage in commerce and those who teach, let us pray to the Lord. ***Lord hear our prayer.***

For students as they finish up their school year and look forward to summer vacation, for all who travel, who seek rest, who visit family and friends, who enjoy the gifts of creation, let us pray to the Lord. ***Lord hear our prayer.***

For our families and for all placed under our care, for our enemies and for those with whom we disagree, and for those who are examples of grace in our lives, let us pray to the Lord. ***Lord hear our prayer.***

Hear these prayers O Merciful Lord and grant them as may be best for us. For yours, O God, is the dominion, the power and the glory, now and forever. **Amen.**